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Sir:

Applicants petition to withdraw the abandonment of the above
 patent application.

Applicants timely filed a response, notice of appeal, and
 petition for extension of time by facsimile on January 16, 2004,
 to the Office Action dated July 21, 2003. Enclosed is a copy of
 our response, notice of appeal and petition for extension of time
 together with a copy of the facsimile transmission report

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Accordingly, withdrawal of the abandonment of the above patent application is believed proper.

No fee is believed to be due. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

In view of the above, Applicants request that the abandonment of the above patent application be withdrawn. The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney to discuss any matter that would expedite this petition or the prosecution of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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